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All About TRAC (Teacher Resource and Activity Center)



The Teacher Resource and Activity Center is sponsored by the Bagwell College of Education and is located on the second floor of Kennesaw Hall. TRAC provides a variety of unique professional opportunities for all teachers in the geographic area served by the university. TRAC also has a large collection of books, magazines, and activity guides designed to help teachers create successful learning centers and bulletin boards for their classrooms. TRAC is open to all KSU students and employees.

Most TRAC books are included in KSU's online library catalog. You can access the catalog from the library homepage link. Look at the

location listed for the title you are interested in to determine if the book is located in TRAC or the campus library. To view only TRAC holdings, choose TRAC on the left side bar under location.

TRAC materials cannot be checked out or returned at any of the other KSU Library System libraries.

<http://bagwell.kennesaw.edu/centers/trac/>

*Write it on your heart that
every day is the best day in the
year.*
~Ralph Waldo Emerson

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - January 19th 2015

"I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed: 'We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created equal.' I have a dream that one day on the red hills of Georgia the sons of former slaves and the sons of former slaveowners will be able to sit down together at a table of brotherhood. I have a dream that one day even the state of Mississippi, a desert state, sweltering with the heat of injustice and oppression, will be transformed into an oasis of freedom and justice. I have a dream that my four children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character. I have a dream today."

~Excerpt from his speech on August 28, 1963, on the steps of the Washington, D.C., Lincoln Memorial during the march on Washington for Jobs and Freedom.

Featured Database

Health Source®: Consumer Edition



Explore this database for tips to a healthy new year. Health Source : Consumer Edition provides access to almost 80 consumer health magazines such as Better Nutrition, Bicycling, Harvard Health Letter, Men's Health, Nutrition Health Review, Prevention, and Vegetarian Times. In addition to magazines, the database offers pamphlets, over 100 health reference books, and thousands of Clinical Reference Systems reports.

Top 10 New Years Resolutions for 2014

1. Lose Weight
2. Getting Organized
3. Spend Less, Save More
4. Enjoy Life to the Fullest
5. Staying Fit and Healthy
6. Learn Something Exciting
7. Quit Smoking
8. Help Others in Their Dreams
9. Fall in Love
10. Spend More Time with Family

<http://www.statisticbrain.com>

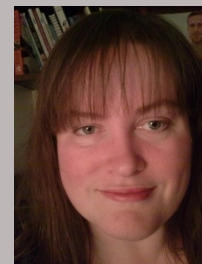
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MLK Day
January 19th

Cool Link

The Collaborative on Health and the Environment's (CHE's) primary mission is to strengthen the science dialogue on environmental factors impacting human health and to facilitate collaborative, multifactorial, prevention-oriented efforts to address environmental health concerns.

<http://www.healthandenvironment.org>

MEET THE STAFF Amy Thompson



What do you do at the library? I'm the Instructional Services and Marketing Assistant for the library. *What I do* is support the librarians in maintaining the research clinic schedule, and provide support for events and committees. I also create *The Thinker* newsletter, the READ posters, the promotional flyers and digital signs – as well as the web ads on the library homepage. *What's your favorite book?* 'Crimson Petal and the White' by Michael Faber. *Do you have any pets/kids/family?* I have six dogs - four Chihuahuas and two Great Danes. *Favorite thing about the library that people might not know?* We have some awesome and brilliant people who work here but everyone SHOULD know that! *What are you most proud of?* I think finally completing my bachelor's degree (Integrated Studies – Organizational Communication and Marketing). *Other interesting facts about yourself?* I'm a casual gamer – mostly interested in virtual worlds such as Second Life and OpenSim as applied to the arts, communications, and virtual learning environments.